Glass Enclosed Swimming Pools *or* Plunges

By Way Of Comment

YOU know there was a time—not so long ago either—when almost every one put their cars away in moth balls as soon as winter came. Then never took them out again until the alluring warm days of spring. But no one can be content with that now.

Used to be the same about swimming.

But now it's the all year around, health-making, pleasure-giving thing to do.

Your own private out-door pool is of course a joy. However, glassing over the same pool, not only makes it a twelve months joy, but has quite as many advantages in the summer as winter.

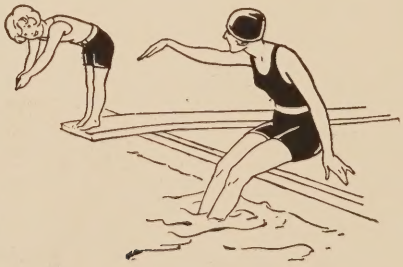
Privacy is assured. The water can be kept cleaner. Entirely free from leaves and the like.

Ventilation can be ample, keeping it agreeably cool, and still giving welcome protection from the hot sun.

For the early fall days, the mere closing of the vents, insures you ample warmth.

Then as the days get nippier, a little gentle heat does until the mercury scoots down.

You can have the water filtered if you like, so it's just like bathing in drinking water. If near the shore, salt water can be used. Which, by the way is being done a lot.



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It savors a bit more of the old swimming hole to have your plunge off somewhere on your grounds. But the tendency seems towards having them as near by as possible. In fact, an increasing number prefer to have them a part of the residence.

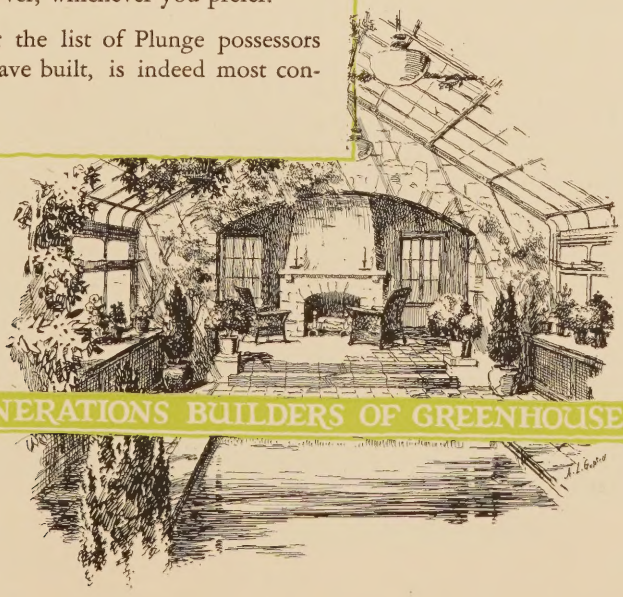
Aside from the health giving cheeriness of water-frolicking under one of our sun flooded glass-overs, it makes possible having plants and ferns about, which certainly does add much.

Making the surroundings attractive in this way, you'll find it one of the most delightful spots for sun-basking. It makes you feel wonderously contented and relaxed. Simply great for taut nerves.

For four generations we have been specializing in building glass enclosures of various kinds.

Your Swimming Pool or Plunge, we will build for you from start to finish, under the one blanket contract for everything. Or furnish and erect just the Glass-Over, whichever you prefer.

To glance over the list of Plunge possessors for whom we have built, is indeed most convincing.



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Making Them

A Direct Part Of Your Home

The F. M. Warburgs of White Plains, N.Y. were among the first to attach the Plunge to the residence. They even went a step farther and added to it a glass enclosed garden.

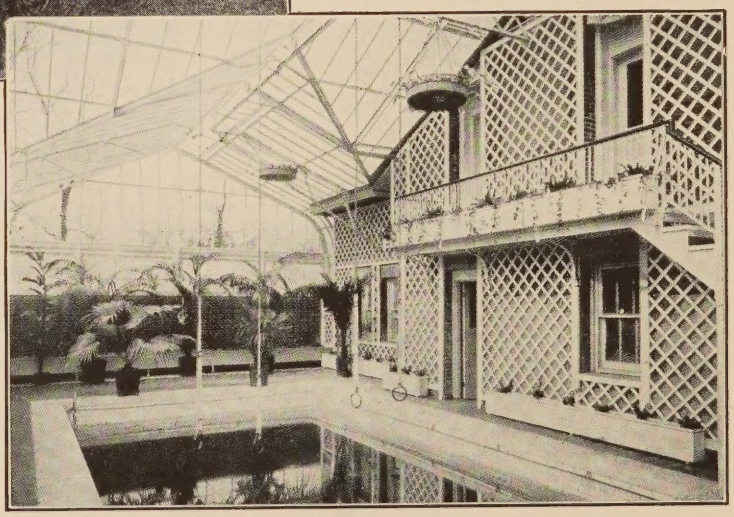
OF course, if you already have an outdoor pool, quite the natural thing is to glass it over.

But for a new one, an increasing number are being made a direct part of the home; or so placed as to be easily reached under cover.

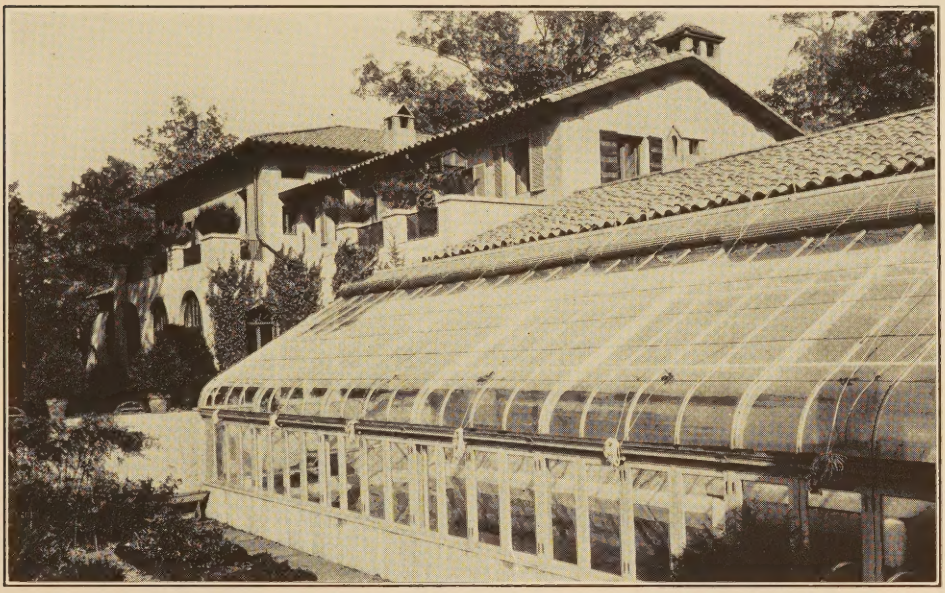
Bundling up to go out and take a plunge, some seem to feel is a bit of a bother.

The most refreshing of all things—the before-breakfast-dip, is otherwise apt to be forfeited.

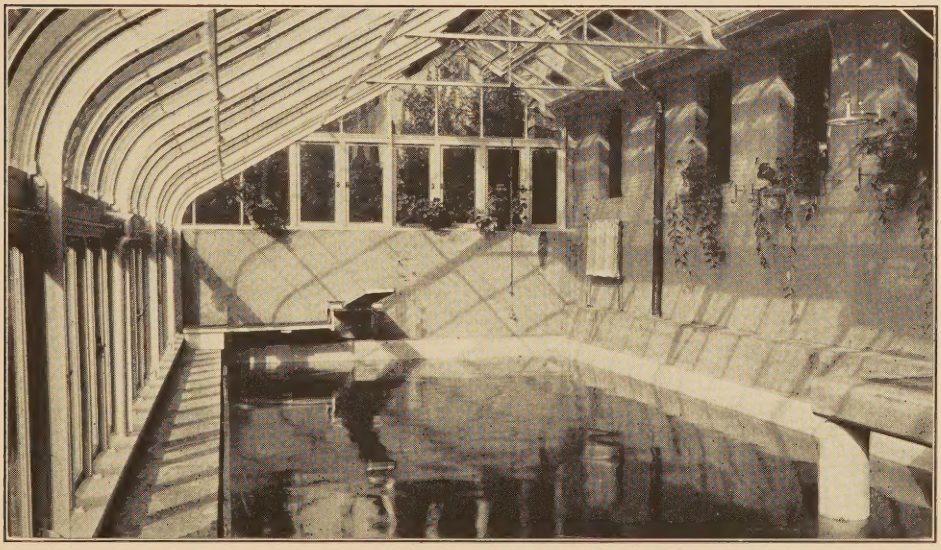
Glancing at some of the close link-ups that follow, is at least interesting.



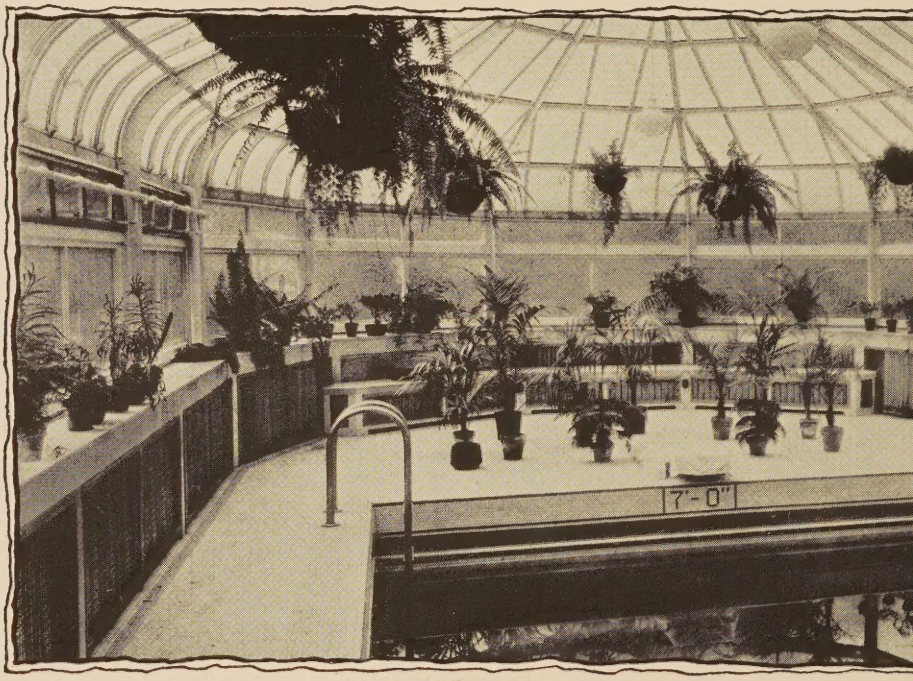
Down those steps, you come from the bedroom floor direct to the plunge. As enticing as it is by day, imagine its allurement by moonlight.



It's a mistaken notion that Plunges must be large affairs, expensively enclosed. Here's one, adjoining the residence of Mrs. Anne Archibold, Washington, D. C., that is modest in size, and decidedly attractive.



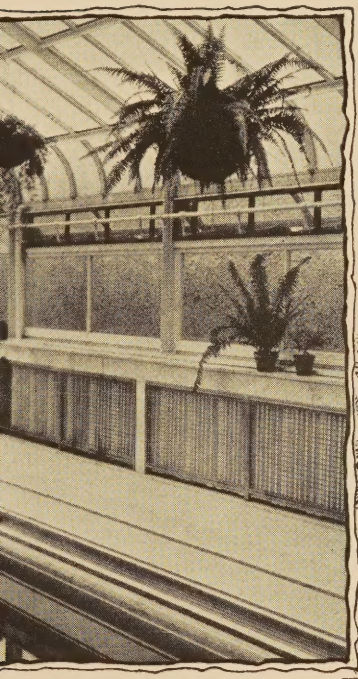
You see the interior is larger than you thought. There's no end of pleasurable satisfaction in such a Plunge.

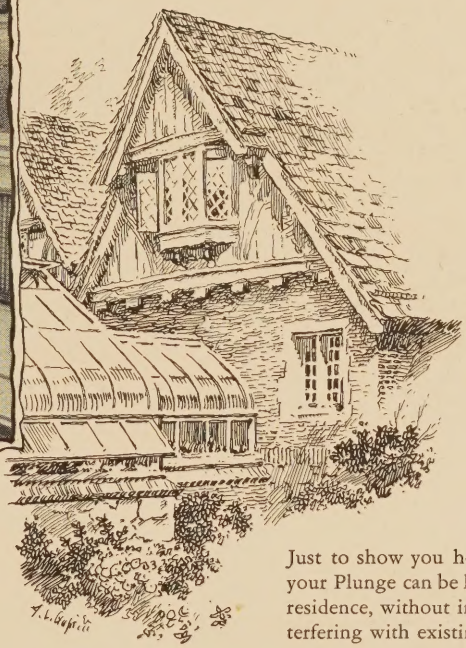


THIS tile-lined, marble bordered Plunge is at Cooper Court, Walkerville, Canada. Attached to the residence imagine how inviting it is for the morning dip.

Great strides have been made in swimming pool design and construction, and it is now possible to successfully filter the water and fully control its temperature.

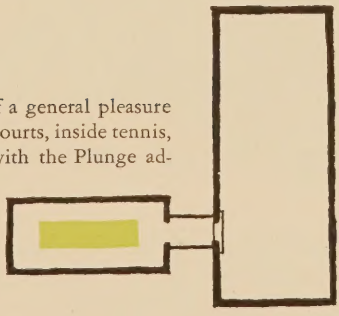
At Cooper Court
The Plunge Is Located On The Bedroom Floor





Just to show you how effectively your Plunge can be linked to your residence, without in the least interfering with existing windows.

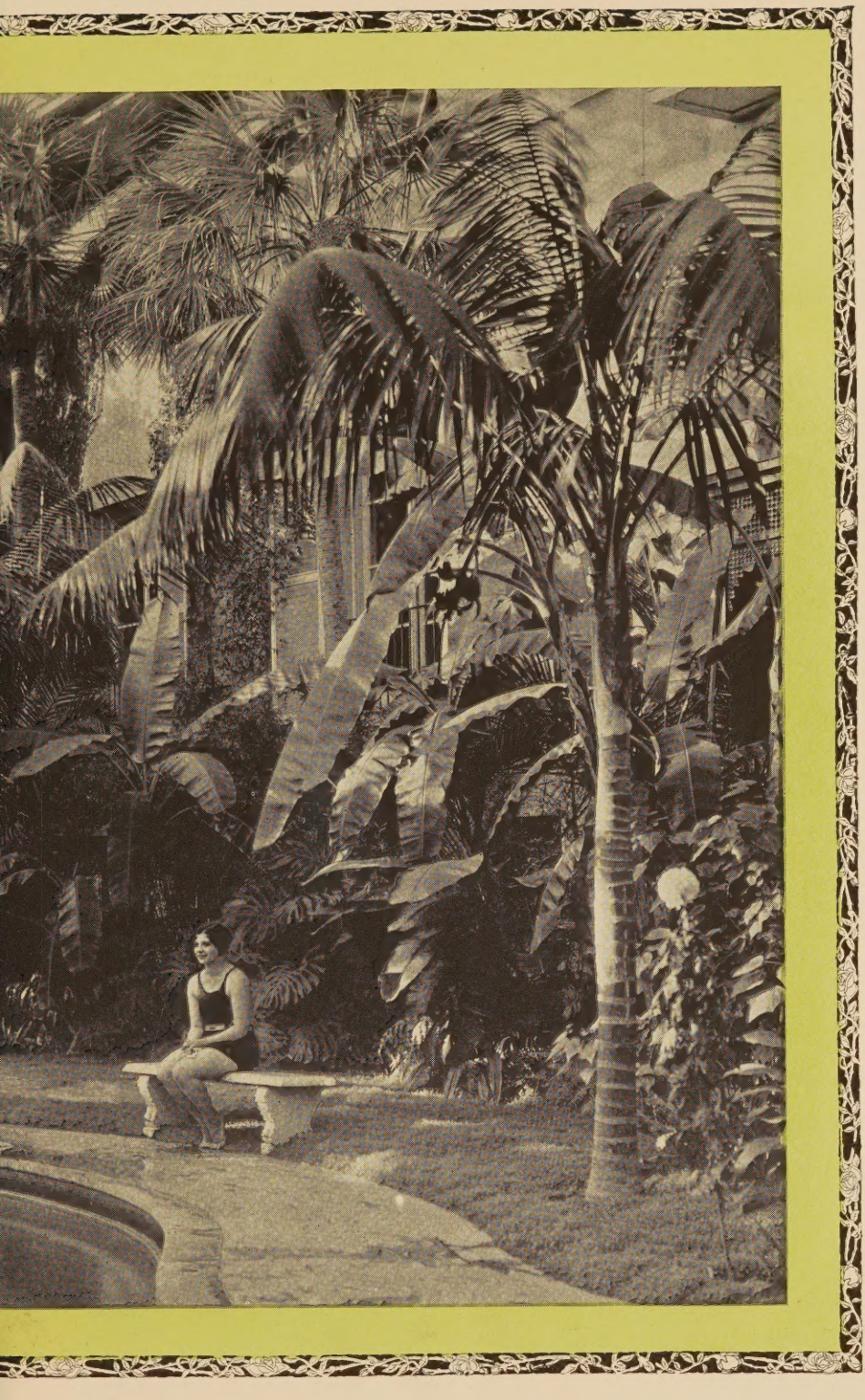
This plan is of a general pleasure place, squash courts, inside tennis, and the like, with the Plunge adjoining.



At one of the lakeside suburbs of Chicago, out Evanston way, is the studio and home of B. H. Marshall, Architect of no little renown.

Following Mr. Marshall's creation, we built a Glassed-over Garden, quite reminiscent of those mystic ones, of ancient Babylon.

The loggia leads to the adjoining tropical garden with its irregular bordered pool.

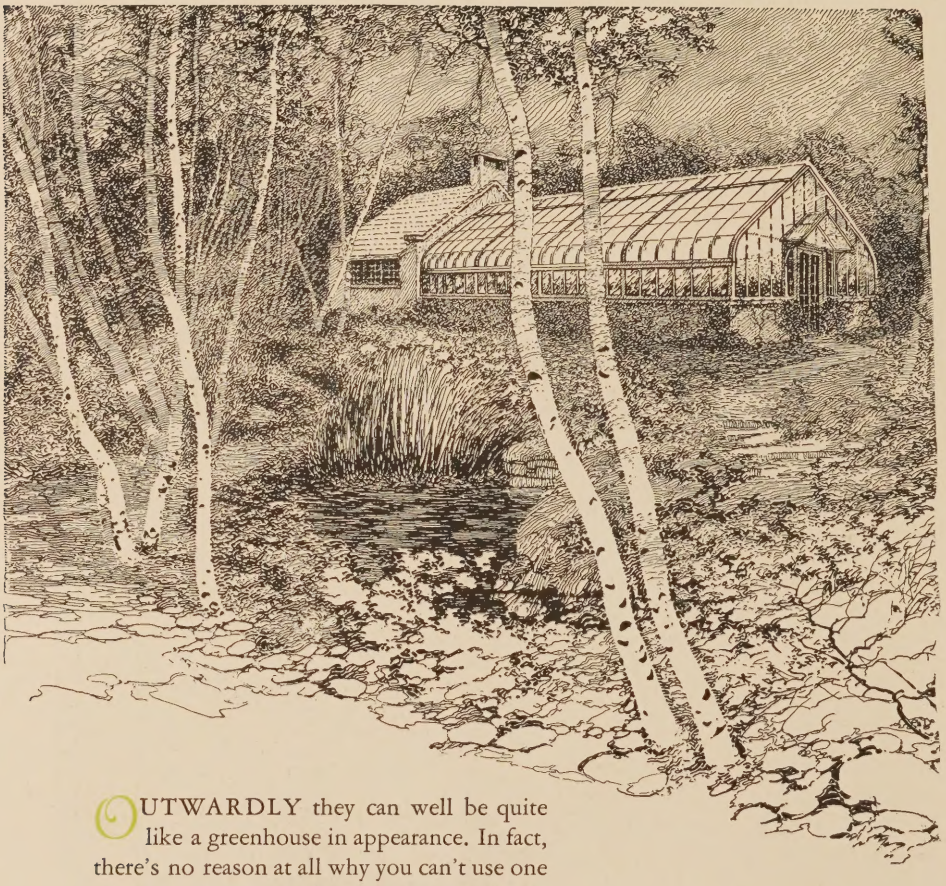


The entire lakeside front and the roof is of glass. From the second story spanish balconies, you look down into this truly lovely tropical garden with its shimmering pool.

When moonlight touches it, you can but feel that at last your quest is over, for here is The Garden of Enchantment, that in dreams you have so long sought.

Making Your Plunge A Separate Affair

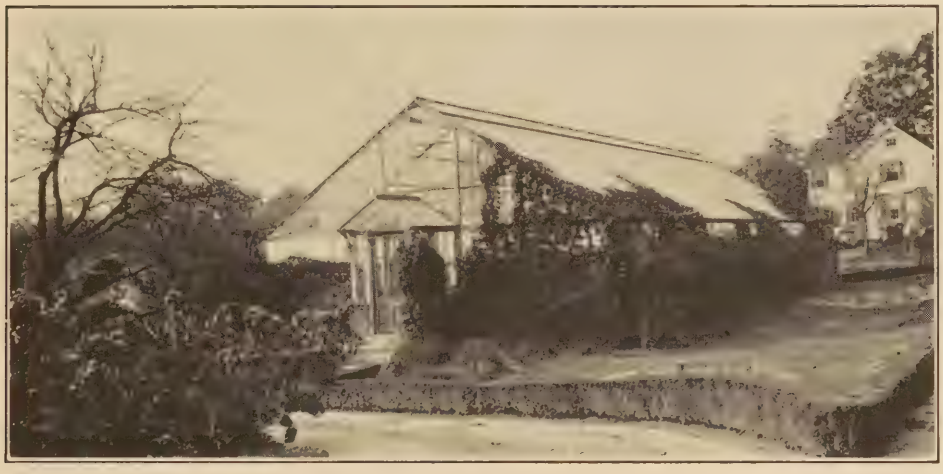
Located Handy By



OUTWARDLY they can well be quite like a greenhouse in appearance. In fact, there's no reason at all why you can't use one of our regular standard width houses and save considerable by it.

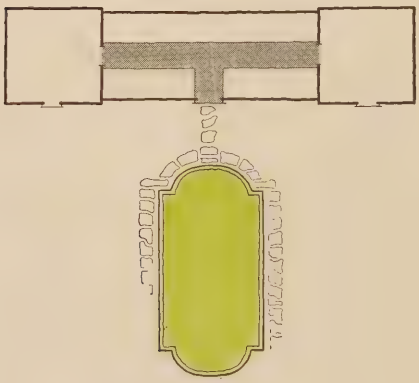
Take this one above, it's 18 feet wide and 50 long. The Plunge itself is three feet below the outside ground. What would be the workroom in a greenhouse, is just the thing for dressing rooms and lounge.

Of course, you can locate such a layout about where you choose, and it will be decidedly good looking. Our standard widths are 18, 25 and 30 feet. In lengths, any you prefer from 33 feet up. Anything shorter would scarcely give you sufficient size for a real Plunge. It would be just a sort of glorified bath tub.



This one of T. W. Rogan at Catonsville, Maryland, is one of our standard greenhouses adapted for a Plunge Glass-Over.
It's 30 feet wide and 75 feet long, and located "handy by, down in the garden," so to speak.

This pool built for Mr. Louis Swift at Lake Forest, Illinois, is just a stone's toss from the residence. It has a graduated depth making it practical alike for grown-ups and children.



AND why not, you who already have your outdoor pool? Why not glass it over, and make it an all year around Plunge?

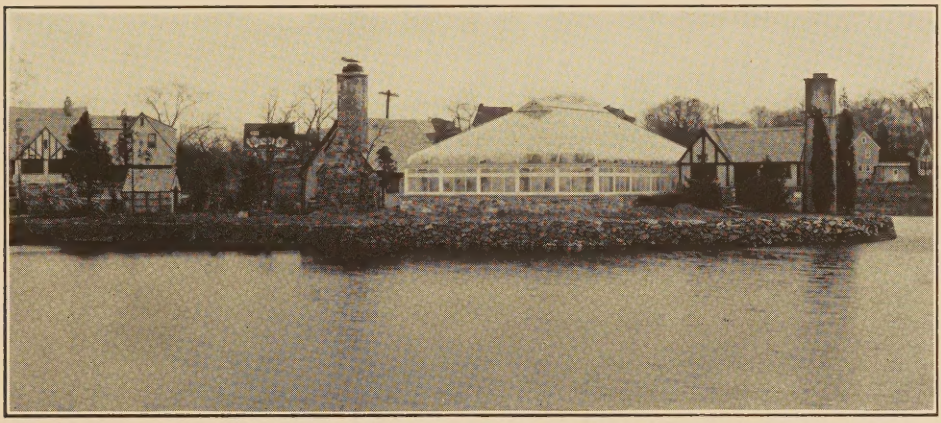
Take this one shown in the sketch above.

It's located in Cleveland. You see from the plan we have suggested at the right, how simple it would be to cover the pool and connect it to the present greenhouse with a glass passage.

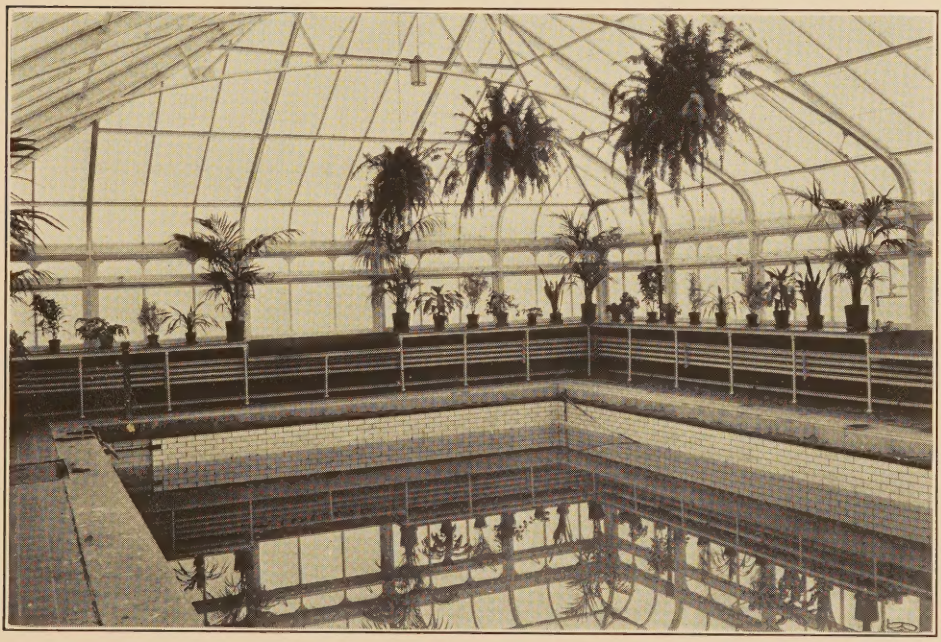
It would make a pleasing group thoroughly practical in every way.

Glassing Over

The Outdoor Pool



G. B. Smith, of Larchmont, N. Y., glassed over his outdoor pool with this one of special design. It's about 30 feet wide and 50 feet long.



Salt water is taken from the sound and filtered for the pool. That break in the plant table is for a sun-basking couch, placed opposite panes of Ultra-Violet Ray transmitting glass.

How To
Go About It

IF you like, we'll take the responsibility for the whole thing, from start to finish.

Or you can have a pool specialist build it and we'll do the glassing-over part.

The heating system has to be carefully done to insure your having the right temperature of the water. It must be taken care of by an independent boiler. We make one specially adopted for the purpose that's thoroughly dependable, besides being economical to run.

Why don't you let one of us come from our nearest office, and looking over your proposed locations, give you the full benefit of our many years in Plunge building? Let's be sure you are right, before going ahead.

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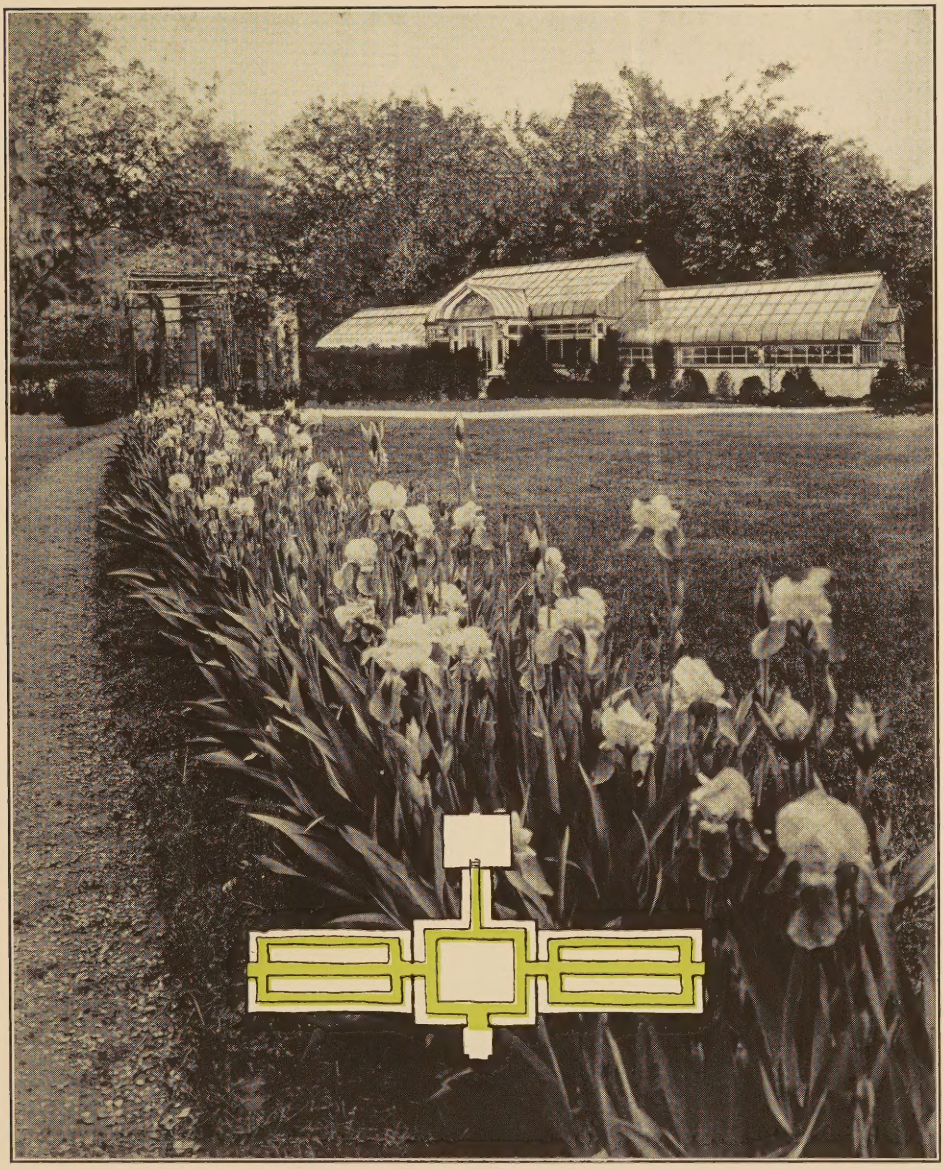

And speaking of Plunges, let's speak a word for greenhouses. We build them. Have been doing it for four generations.

We are specialists. Let us send you our catalog called "Some Greenhouses We Have Built".

Shows conservatories and sun-rooms as well. Or, if you prefer,— one of us will, gladly keep any appointment you may suggest.

In this charming layout, there's no reason at all why a portion of it should not be given over to a Plunge. Let's talk it over.

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